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the things that probably have at least as much impact, if not more impact on the well-being of either the neighborhood or the small community. There are, as I said before, there are as many projects that can be done as there is the need for those projects in the small communities. The small rural communities are a lot like the urban neighborhood groups in that they live with problems, they see the things that need to be done. And if you give them a small amount of money, they get more bang for their buck than probably any other group. It's a bottom-up program, as I said before, because the people who live in the community, the people who live in the neighborhood plan the program, apply for the funding and carry out the program. There are as many different things that could be done as you can think of. I can think of one neighborhood group that purchased a number of lawn implements, including lawn mowers, and hedge trimmers, and established a loan program for people in the neighborhood who maybe couldn't afford to buy their own lawn mowers. There are a multitude of things that can be done with a small amount of money, and that is what this program is intended to do. And I would appreciate the members of the Legislature voting to attach this amendment to this bill. Thank you.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Members, the house is under call. Would you...all unexcused members, please report to the Chamber and record your presence. The house is under call. Senator Coordsen, would you record your presence. Senator Jones, Senator Preister, Senator Redfield, the house is under call. Senator Preister, Senator Jones, Senator Redfield, the house is under call. We're waiting for Senator Redfield and Senator Preister. Senator Kiel, we're unable to find Senator Redfield. Everyone else is present. Would you care to go ahead? Thank you. Question before the body is the adoption of the Kiel amendment to LB 202. All those in favor vote aye; all those opposed vote nay. There's been a request for a roll call vote. Members, please keep your conversations to a minimum so the clerk may read the roll. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: (Roll call vote taken. See page 509 of the Legislative Journal.) 19 ayes, 23 nays on the amendment, Mr. President.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: The amendment fails. The call is raised. Any further items on the bill, Mr. Clerk?